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NIKONOV, RYABCHIKOV, PATOVA, KRUTIKOV APPOINTED TO SKLYAROV'S STAFF (1945)

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To SKLYAROV[1]

The undermentioned officers have been appointed to posts on your staff:

1. NIKONOV[11] - Chauffeur with a salary of 1380 in currency
2. RYABCHIKOV[111] - Messenger-Guard with a salary of 1035 in currency
3. PATOVA[iv] - Shorthand-Typist with a salary of 1035 in currency

[D% 4.] KRUTIKOV[v] [D% -] Cipher Clerk with a salary of [D% 1656] [1 group unrecovered]

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HEAD [3 groups unrecoverable][vi]

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Footnotes:

- [i] SKLYAROV: \ General Ivan Andreevich SKLYAROV, Soviet Military and Air Attaché, in the UK 8 October 1940 - 19 March 1946.
- [ii] NIKONOV: x Senior Lieutenant Pavel Petrovich NIKONOV, chauffeur/clerk to the Soviet Military Mission/Military Attaché, in the UK 13 July 1943 - 1 May 1949.
- [iii] RYABCHIKOV: v Junior Lieutenant/Sergeant Vladimir Aleksandrovich RYABCHIKOV, clerk/doorkeeper in the Soviet Military Mission and later clerk on the Military Attaché's staff, in the UK 17 March 1945 - 13 October 1948, 10 January 1949 - 15 July 1950.
- [iv] PATOVA: v Lieutenant Nina Stepanovna PATOVA, clerk/typist in the Soviet Military Mission, in the UK 14 February 1944 - 22 June 1946.
- [v] KRUTIKOV: j Senior Lieutenant Petr Nikolaevich KRUTIKOV, cipher clerk in the Soviet Military Mission and later in the Military Attaché's office, in the UK 13 July 1944 - 27 February 1950.
- [vi] The unrecoverable groups presumably represent HEAD [OF DIRECTORATE, date of message, full stop.]